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GOV. STONE'S VIEWS

Plainly Stated to the General Assembly.

THE SPECIAL MESSAGE.

It Deals With Election Reform, the Fellow-Servant Bill and the Professional Lobby.

Special to the DEMOCRAT.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 23.—The general assembly of the state of Missouri met in extraordinary session, in compliance with the call of the governor at noon today.

After the usual routine, the senate and house received a special message from the governor setting forth the subjects upon which the chief executive hoped to see legislation. The message deals first with the election law and the governor says:

"I ask the general assembly to enact a law governing elections held for the election of public officials in cities having a population of 100,000 and over. The desire for a better law, applicable to such cities, is so universal, and the necessity for it so generally conceded by right-thinking people, that I feel as if I need do little more than submit the subject for your consideration; there is certainly no occasion for elaborate discussion of it. The residents of St. Louis and Kansas City are impressed with the belief which, unhappily, is justified by experience, that gross frauds in elections held under the existing law have been and can be committed. Even when this law is administered by the most honest and painstaking officials, it is practically impossible to prevent fraudulent registration and voting on a comparatively large scale. The number of frauds and the facility with which they may be committed, can, of course, be greatly augmented by the convenience of dishonest officials; but, as I have said, it is extremely difficult, if not practically impossible, to so administer the present law as to prevent a large number of fraudulent registrations, and, in consequence, a large number of fraudulent votes.

There is no doubt of the truth of this statement. The necessity of a better law is therefore self-evident. The ballot box should be guarded with the utmost vigilance against crime, and be protected, as far as possible, from every description of fraud. Election machinery should be constructed with the sole object of securing a fair and honest election. No patriotic citizen, no honest man, can object to that.

Party advantage should not be sought in the enactment or administration of election laws. There can be no party advantage in the efficient and honest administration of wholesome laws. Any law which, by its terms, affords one individual or party an advantage over another, is a bad law. A perfect law, which will entirely prevent fraud, is, perhaps, impossible, but a law can be enacted which will make fraudulent practices exceedingly difficult and hazardous, and thus minimize the evil. If the gentlemen of the two houses will come to the consideration of this subject, not in a spirit of narrow partisanship, but with the sole desire of advancing the public weal,

remembering that whatever their politics they are all Missourians, and should be interested in the honor of the state, there will be no serious difficulty in reaching a satisfactory result. I express the hope that wise counsel will prevail, and that a law designed to wholly promote the public good may be speedily agreed to.

The governor next deals with the "Fellow-Servant" bill as follows: "I ask the general assembly to enact a law defining the relations between railroad corporations and their employees, and also define and fix the legal liability between such corporations and their employees for injuries suffered by one employee, as the result of the culpable negligence of another employee, while engaged in the service of the same corporation. Nearly 60 years ago, two servants of an English butcher were riding on a wagon, used by their master in his business, and by reason of some defect in the wagon, or some negligent act of one of the servants, or partly from both causes, the other servant was injured. Suit for damages was instituted by the injured man against his master, and in that it was held by Lord Abinger, in the court of Exchequer, that the master was not liable to one servant for injuries received as the result of the negligence of another servant engaged in the same common service, unless the master was himself guilty of negligence in employing or retaining the servant whose negligence caused the injury. From this case sprang the doctrine of the master's exemption from liability for injuries received by one of his servants by reason of the negligence of a fellow-servant. Upon this precedent other cases were decided, until the rule laid down by Lord Abinger has come to be generally accepted as the doctrine of the common law.

This rule of the common law, as administered by the courts, is sweeping in its application. Very few exceptions to the rule have been admitted. It has been broadened in its application until it covers all classes of servants, without regard to the nature of their employment. Whether this rule, as applied to the servants of a master engaged in the simple and purely private business of a butcher, is just, it is needless now to argue. But the difference in condition, and in the character, purpose and scope of the employment of the servants of an English butcher and those of a great semi-public railway corporation, is so marked and clear as in my mind to separate them and place them on a different footing. How can any just comparison be made between two servants of a butcher, familiar with each other by daily association, acquainted with the simple methods and harmless means employed in the conduct of a business almost wholly free from danger, and in the prosecution of which they are ordinarily in contact and in the presence of each other; and the servants of a great railroad corporation, scattered for hundreds of miles, employed in widely different classes of labor, having no direct connection, and in the main unacquainted with each other, and all, or nearly all, engaged in a work of peculiar hazard? Can any just comparison be made in the condition, responsibility or the nature of the employment between two butcher boys driving a wagon loaded with tallow, along a public street, and a railway engineer and conductor in control of a train of cars loaded with human beings and flying with the speed of the wind along a railroad track? The difference is so complete and

emphatic as to make comparison absurd. And ought there to be no difference in the nature and measure of responsibility of such masters as these to their respective servants?

Let me suppose a case: A passenger train starts out of St. Louis at night, encountering a storm so black that the fire-eye of the locomotive seems only to make the darkness visible, and dashes away over hills, along winding valleys, around obscure curves, at a speed of 40 miles an hour, with the engineer at his post, his hand upon the throttle and his eyes watching for any signal of danger, when suddenly there is a jar, a lurch, a crash, and the engineer is buried in the ruin. An incompetent, negligent or vicious switchman has failed to do his duty. By reason of the carelessness, negligence or indifference of this switchman, employed to perform certain duties, the engineer is crushed or burned to death, or terribly mutilated. With the employment of the switchman the engineer had nothing to do; he had no connection with him; he did not even know him. The engineer was in no sense to blame; he had simply discharged his duty to the fullest limit. Under the law of Missouri the engineer would have no legal claim for damages against his employer. Is that right?

Let me suppose the case of a train that should have been sidetracked, but on the contrary, was ordered to proceed, and in consequence of which a collision occurred with terrible effect on trainmen and passengers. The disaster was due to a dispatcher who misunderstood or was incapable of understanding his orders, or was guilty of some gross negligence. The trainmen were not to blame; they simply obeyed orders and discharged their duty. Should they be denied all right of redress against an employer who takes a man into his service so incompetent or negligent as to precipitate such disasters? * * *

Disasters of the kind described have occurred. It would not be difficult to multiply instances similar in nature, if not in detail. Such cases illustrate the unreasonable injustice of the harsh rule of the common law, and demonstrate the necessity of some material modification of it. The force of this necessity has been recognized both in England and America.

In England, where the doctrine of exempting the master was first announced, it has been greatly mitigated by statutory enactment, and in its application to servants operating railway trains almost wholly abrogated.

"When the necessity of a more humane and enlightened rule—one more in harmony with the altered conditions of our later civilization—is being so generally recognized, both in our own country and abroad, why should Missouri stand obstinate in the path of progress, and cling stubbornly to an ancient precedent which is fast coming under the ban of universal disapproval? Why should not Missouri enact a law for the proper protection of the 25,000 men employed in operating the railroads of this state? Why should Missouri postpone to the very last, much less deny, any modification of a rule, unjust in itself, which never had legislative sanction, but exists purely as the creation of judicial precedent, and which stands almost universally condemned by public opinion?

I venture to assert that there are not ten men in a thousand who would conscientiously deny that a right of action should exist in such cases as I have above described. Why then do we persist in perpetuating a rule of law which shuts the door of the court room in the face of men who have suffered injuries for which, in all good conscience and fairness, as a matter of wise public policy and simple justice, they should have redress?

Upon the subject of the lobby the governor says: "I ask the general assembly to enact a law to sustain, and, if possible, to suppress the practice of lobbying, which has grown into an alarming evil at the capital. It has come to pass that certain railroads maintain an organized lobby at the state capital during the sessions of the general assembly. This practice has prevailed for a number of years. It is maintained ostensibly for the purpose of 'protecting' the interests of railroads against the assaults of the people's representatives."

The message points out the danger from this organized lobby and urges the necessity for "devising some adequate means of ridding the state of its debasing influence."

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The Man Shot by the Policeman May Be a Horsethief.

The man who attempted to shoot Officer Jackson, in the Missouri Pacific yards last night, and who was shot at in return by the policeman, evidently was hit and may prove to be a horsethief.

Last night about midnight a horse, harness and buggy belonging to Eldred Harrison, the baseball player, was stolen from the stable in the rear of his home, at the corner of Stewart and Pettis street, in northwest Sedalia.

The thief gained entrance by cutting a hole with a knife below the latch in the barn door. He then whittled a piece of wood to a size that would fit in the hole and by this means lifted the latch from its



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position and gained entrance to the stable.

The animal which he stole is a brown four-year-old colt, just broke to driving, about 15 hands, and one inch high, with star in forehead, left hip capped and with two white hind feet.

The buggy is a new vehicle which cost the owner about \$100.

It is supposed that the person who was shot by Policeman Jackson is the same one who stole Harrison's outfit.

What gives color to the supposition is the fact that there was a large pool of blood on the floor of barn and a trail of blood was found going west on Main street.

It is supposed that the thief took this direction, and this morning Chief of Police Kahrs and Policeman Jackson started on his trail.

A Stone Throwing Fiend.

As the M., K. & T. passenger train from the south this morning was passing by the Fifth street depot some miscreant threw a stone through a window of one of the coaches. The missile just missed one of the passengers and one of the pieces of broken glass, which flew into his face, made a slight wound below one of his eyes. The person guilty of throwing the stone will be severely dealt with if caught.

Present of a Watch.

The Dunham Manufacturing company, of St. Louis, made an offer, which was accepted, to W. J. Letts, that if he would purchase seventy-five pounds of their shredded cocoanut that they would present a gold watch to the clerk selling the most of it. The watch is on exhibition at the store, and a spirited contest is on among the clerks to determine who shall be the fortunate winner. Mr. Letts thinks he has the most efficient help of any grocer in the city, and it is a pleasure to him to be able to secure them a present in this manner. Each of them will appreciate any order that may be given them.

THEY QUIT.

Government Employees Would Not Submit to Vaccination.

Special to the DEMOCRAT.

GASCONADE, April 23.—The government employees on the river improvement works at Gasconade were all ordered to be vaccinated yesterday. Several of them rebelled against the order, and were told if they would not submit to vaccination they would be discharged.

This morning the whole outfit, numbering forty or fifty, quit en masse rather than submit to the order, and went to Chamois, where they were given their wages.

For a Direct Current.

The linemen of the Sedalia Electric Light and Power company are at work today stringing the wires for a direct current for electric power for fans, motors and day lights.

Gov. Bob Taylor in the "Fiddle and the Bow" Friday night at Wood's opera house. Reserve seats 50 cents all over the house.

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An Examiner Here.

Dr. J. A. Roseberry, medical examiner for the Franklin Life Insurance Co., of Springfield, Ill., is now here with the agent, W. H. Patric, of 523 West Seventh street. Sedalia and vicinity has already many policy holders in this company, which is now taking the lead.

Children's Outing.

The primary grades of the Broadway school, in charge of Mesdames Wilcox and Hammond, were given an outing at Forest park this afternoon. The little ones filled a closed car and an open trailer and presented a merry sight on their way to the park.

This Afternoon's Race.

The weather is fine this afternoon, and there is a good attendance at the matinee races at the park.

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231 South Vermont street, 5-room house, cellar, sewerage.
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Raisens, per lb.	.8c
California Prunes, per lb.	.5c
3 X Soda Crackers, per lb.	.5c
Pure Maple Sugar, per lb.	.10c
Navy Beans, 6 lbs for.	.25c
Roller Oats, 8 lbs for.	.25c
Buckwheat, Pure, 6 lbs for.	.25c
Mince Meat, 3 packages for.	.25c
Tomatoes, 3 cans for.	.25c
Sugar Corn, 4 cans for.	.25c
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DELIGHTFUL EVENT.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Cy Rippey Surprise Them.

A very pleasant surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cy Rippey at the corner of Ohio and Tenth street last evening, in honor of Mrs. Rippey's thirty-fourth birthday. Those present were entertained with vocal and instrumental music. Refreshments were served during the evening. The party broke up during the wee sma' hours and all present enjoyed themselves greatly. Those who attended were: Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Turnham, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Dowd, Mrs. J. M. Goodnight, Miss Laura Edwards, Messrs. M. V. Sweet, R. G. Leaming and Charles Hannefield.

Carpenters at Work.

A large force of carpenters are at work on the Lamy building today putting in the joists and laying platforms and preparing for the bricklayers to begin the work of laying the walls for the building.

Funeral of Mrs. McAnally.

The funeral of Mrs. McAnally took place from St. Vincent de Paul church today. The interment took place at the Catholic cemetery.

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Raisens, per lb.	.5
California Prunes, per lb.	.5
Evap Peaches, Pears, Apricots, 3 lbs for.	.15
Parlor Matches, per dozen.	.15
Rice, good, per lb.	.5
Sorghum, country made, per gallon.	.35
Syrup, good, per gallon.	.30
Bacon, per lb.	.8
Lard, per lb.	.75 to .8
Lump Starch, good, per lb.	.5
Baking Powder, per lb.	.15
California Beans, 6 lbs for.	.25
Coffee, Choice Blend, per lb.	.25
Granulated Sugar, 24 lbs for.	\$1.00
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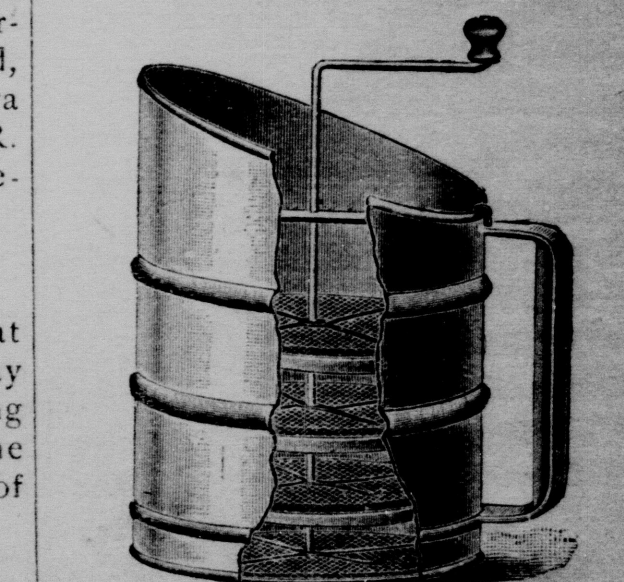
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JEFFERSON CITY should make the most of the extra session, for there will probably be only one more regular session held at that place.

THE war between the republican factions should not be permitted to interfere with the work of pushing Sedalia forward to a greater prosperity than she has ever known.

THOUSANDS of Missourians are waiting to see Sedalia deposit her guarantee for the erection of the capitol building, and when that is done the capital removal campaign will open up in earnest.

THE merchants, the wholesale dealers, the manufacturers, the professional men and the newspapers are all interested in seeing the proposed telephone line to Springfield put in operation at once.

THE republican organ seems to entertain no higher opinion of the mayor than the mayor entertains of the organ. If they both tell the truth the g. o. p. should be retired and given an opportunity to reform.

It should not require more than thirty days for the general assembly to pass the three measures recommended by Governor Stone. If the members are wise they will get away from Jefferson City before the first of June.

HONEST money is that which is continuously a fair and exact measure of values. No money can be an honest measure that year after year grows scarcer when compared with the volume of business, the product of the country or the debt that it must pay.

SEDALIA has an opportunity to secure telephone connections with Cole Camp, Lincoln, Warsaw, Cross Timbers, Buffalo, Bolivar, Stock-Wheatland, Hermitage, Springfield and a score of good towns in South Missouri. We should not miss the opportunity.

This country has nothing to expect from the free coinage of silver on a gold basis. Silver money on a gold standard is no better than promises to pay—credit money. Yet this is about all that is promised by the statesmen of the Cleveland-Harrison-Sherman school.

ALL that is necessary to secure the telephone line to Springfield and intermediate points is to guarantee the company a thousand dollars of business in this city, and the business men will be given tickets good for three years. The advantages of such a line are plain, positive and easily understood.

THE removal of the capital is only one of the results that will follow an energetic, united, successful campaign on the part of Sedalia. Hundreds of desirable immigrants will come to us. New railroads will enter the city and scores of manufacturing enterprises will seek locations here, and an era of prosperity will set in such as Sedalia has never known before. The opportunity is ours; it is such as comes only once in a lifetime. It importance should be realized by every citizen.

THE esteemed St. Louis Republic ought to know Missouri democrats too well to imagine that they are for silver monometallism. Free coinage of silver does not mean any such thing, and no democrat proposes to commit himself to the perpetual maintenance of any particular ratio. What democrats do demand, however, is that the crime of 1873 shall be righted; that the laws that were repealed secretly and by fraud shall be revived; that silver

shall be given the same rights at the mint that gold enjoys, and then, after this has been done, they will attend to any needed changes in ratio. But they do not propose to allow the men who have by fraud depreciated silver, or rather appreciated gold, to profit by their own villany or use the condition they themselves produced as an argument against correcting the wrong. The day for subterfuges has passed, and men are either for free coinage or the single gold standard. There is no middle ground.

FOURTH street is destined at no distant day to be one of the most important thoroughfares in the city. The building of the new "Katy" passenger depot between Third and Fourth makes this a certainty, and yet some of the property owners are endeavoring to defeat the paving of that street. If the same policy had been pursued by the owners of property on Ohio, Main, Third, Broadway and other streets, Sedalia would not be the prosperous, growing city that it is. Having enjoyed the indirect benefit from the paving of other streets, is it wise or just for property owners on Fourth street to object when the time comes for paving in front of their property? The DEMOCRAT thinks not. On the other hand now is the time for every citizen to show public spirit and cheerfully do his part toward pushing Sedalia forward.

THE extra session of the general assembly began at noon today. In the contest that is at hand an overwhelming majority of the people are heartily with the governor in his efforts to secure a more efficient election law, a modification of the harshness of the common law as it applies to railway employees and debar them from an appeal to the courts for damages for injuries received, and a measure that will curb, discourage or destroy the lobby which gathers at every session of the general assembly. There is no question of partisan politics in any of these measures, nor will there be unless the house permits the St. Louis boss to force it into the display of partisanship. If such a misfortune should occur the governor will not be blamed in the least, but conservative men of all parties will continue to believe that he did right to call an extra session and force these important measures upon the attention of the people's representatives.

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Capt. Pratt's \$7,000 Dog.

Capt. Chas. A. Pratt's famous St. Bernard, which won prizes at all the bench shows in the United States, died last week at Little Rock, says the Jefferson City Journal. The dog was valued at \$7,000, was three feet high and weighed 220 pounds.

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BUD AND B.

An "Inquisitor" Takes a Look at Bud's Record and Sees "Flies" on It.

To the Editor of the DEMOCRAT:

An ancient and well worn adage has a timely warning for "those who in family quarrels do interpose," and on the threshold of "these few remarks" the present writer emphatically disavows any purpose either to call off the scrapers or to participate in the lively and fur-flying scrapping match between "Bud" and "Baldwin." Let the motto be, Lay on Macduff and Macbluff, and the duce take him who comes out behind! Our position in relation to the contest is similar to that occupied by John Quincy Adams when he heard of the death of an old political adversary, and was invited to be present and to participate in the funeral ceremonies incident to the occasion. He politely declined the invitation, but said he did not wish his necessary absence to be misinterpreted. He declared that he was decidedly in favor of the funeral, and wanted it to go on, but circumstances made his personal attendance impossible. Now, we are decidedly in favor of the present, highly edifying "sheep shearing" between the two Bs, (now B does not necessarily stand for *bucks*, it may stand for *belligerents*.) We want the shearing to go on, and the wool to fly till nothing remains of the two belligerents but their tails.

However, since Bud has boldly challenged the public to scrutinize his record and his conduct, in the following language, viz: "I do not object to any paper, or any individual turning the microscope of investigation upon my conduct," your correspondent concluded to select a sample or two casually, and at random, and see how they would bear inspection.

We are sorry to report that we found "flies on it," and lots of them. Nor were they microbes, either, but great, big, blue "bottle flies," so that it was not necessary to employ a "microscope" to see them; they can readily be discerned with the naked eye, or even by looking at them through the wrong end of an opera glass. The inquiry was not recondite, nor was the material far to seek. It was not necessary for the present to go farther back than his diatribe in last Sunday's DEMOCRAT, and accordingly from that model, public document the following delicious (?) morsel is hereby extracted: "I want to say here to Baldwin, or any other man that insinuates that any saloon man ever uttered a word to me about Mr. Glover, or that I was influenced by that element, that he is an *intimation of decency*, (whatever that is) an abortion of a gentleman, a liar and slanderer, and if he is not these he knows how to get even with me."

Now in all candor, and for the sake of public decency we enter a demurrer to the vulgar bluff and billingsgate contained in the foregoing excerpt. It is the very vernacular of the slums and the cock pit, and is utterly beneath the dignity of the prominent position he happens to occupy for the time being. Doubtless Bud has a right to form his personal manners according to any estimate he may entertain of himself, personally, at the same time he is in duty bound to entertain due respect for the office with which he is charged, and to return the trust confided to him untarnished by contact with anything low and vulgar.

Moreover, he is a lawyer, so I am told, and by virtue of his office a conservator of the peace, and if so does he propose to violate the laws of the land knowingly by using language calculated to provoke a breach of the peace? Does he propose to trample under his feet the criminal laws he is sworn to conserve by sending or provoking a challenge from a dangerous man like the editor of the Gazette? Does he not know that the pen is deadlier than the sword, and that Mr. B— has many times and oft thrust in his pen and oft shed whole bottle-fuls of ink on the slightest provocation? Very likely this accounts for the fact that Bud has been hasty to a fault in the past in re-mitting fines against some conspicuous offenders against the criminal ordinances, not knowing how soon he might himself become a suitor for executive clemency. Again in the fulmination launched at the head of the Gazette, Bud, with the air of injured innocence, goes on with his grievances as follows: "I nominated a man for city physician whom the council rejected, but who had done as much for the republican party as any man of my knowledge."

There never was a night too dark, or a day too hot or cold for this gentleman to render services to the republican party, etc."

Really, we thought he was going to say, in order to make his point

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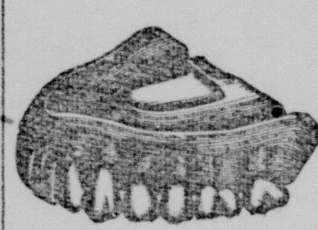
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Zeal and activity in ward politics raises no presumption of fitness in a man seeking the post of city physician, but just the contrary is true. No man ever attained eminence, and rarely much proficiency in the medical profession, and at the same time prominence in partisan politics.

A liberal minded executive would endeavor to move this particular position away from the intrigues and machinations of ward politics. But perhaps we should not expect too much, all of a sudden, from our present versatile, volatile and convivial mayor. If a really expansive, liberal sentiment should by any means find lodgment in his brain his cranial bones might suffer dislocation by reason of the unwonted pressure from within. Apropos of the new paper said to be incubating, let it take warning that if it is coming to trumpet meretricious praises for Bud, to be his personal organ, to be hung on as a tail to his kite, then the little bantling may as well "die a-bornin'," for it is destined to go down to an early and untimely grave, "unwept, unhonored and unsung."

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THE CITY FATHERS.

What They Did at Last Night's Meeting.

THE JOHN GLOVER CASE.

No Place Vacant on the Force and His Reappointment Impossible—Proceedings in Detail.

Council met in adjourned session last night with Mayor Hastain in the chair and with Councilmen Anderson, Deckman, Mertz, Berry, Dugan, Hoffman and Martin present.

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

Councilman Mertz presented a petition asking for the extension of the water main in the city cemetery 280 feet for the purpose of irrigating certain plots which have been taken up in the past two years. The petition was signed by fifteen persons. Councilman Dugan moved that the petition be referred to the new cemetery committee and the motion prevailed.

Mr. Dugan asked that a report be made by the city engineer on the most feasible method of draining the new sidewalk on Montebau street.

Ex-City Engineer Yeater recommended that a 2-foot tiling be put in.

A motion was made to that effect and it was so ordered.

An ordinance providing for the curbing of Seventh street from the east line of Ohio street to the west line of Lafayette was read. It was specified that the curbing be of sandstone or limestone of a good quality, properly dressed and of regulation size. It was also provided that the property owners, if they choose, can put in concrete curbing. Property owners are given ten days in which to notify the city clerk that they will put in concrete curbing themselves. The ordinance calls for bids on limestone curbing in case there is no selection of any other material on the part of property owners. The ordinance was passed by a unanimous vote.

An ordinance was introduced providing for the changing of the grade of Third street so as to allow the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad to raise the grade and elevate the tracks of that road. The ordinance provides that the railroad pave the crossing with asphalt, as it now is, at its own expense, and the road was required to put up a bond of \$5,000 to fulfill its agreement. The ordinance was passed.

The Sedalia, Warsaw and Southwestern road was permitted to build a switch track on Thompson avenue, providing that it improve the Fourth street crossing and leave it in better condition than it found it.

An ordinance establishing and maintaining a free public library and reading room in this city was read. The ordinance provided for the collection of the special tax for the maintenance of the library. The ordinance also specifies that the mayor appoint nine trustees, and to select citizens of the city to serve without compensation, three for one year, three for two years, and three for three years. The ordinance was general in its provisions for the government and regulation of the institution and for conditions which may attend its growth in future years. The ordinance was passed.

Attorney Kennedy made a statement in which he informed the council that the Sedalia Library association will turn over 3,000 volumes as soon as the mayor makes the appointment of the directors of the new public library.

Mayor Hastain informed the library association that as soon as he could consult the citizens as to the best men to appoint as such directors he would fill the directory.

An ordinance was read recommending that the salary of the new city engineer be reduced from \$1,500 per annum to \$1,200 per annum.

Mr. Anderson raised the point that the change was illegal under the ordinance, which specifies that the salary of a city officer cannot be changed for the time he has served or has been appointed.

It was then moved that the appointment of the city engineer made at the last meeting be reconsidered.

The resolution was lost by a vote of 4 to 3.

A motion was then made that the ordinance be placed on its second reading.

Mr. Anderson offered an amendment that the ordinance take effect at the first meeting of the council after the election in 1896. The motion was carried.

A motion was then made to lay

the ordinance on the table indefinitely, and it, too, carried.

Chairman Deckman, of the street and alley committee, asked that he be granted more time in which to investigate the cost of opening up Vermont street.

A remonstrance against the paving of Sixth street was referred to the city engineer for investigation.

A resolution was presented praying that all wooden sidewalks on both sides of Sixth street, from Ohio street to Grand avenue, be removed and that stone, brick or concrete sidewalks be laid in lieu of such wooden sidewalks. The matter was referred to the street and alley committee.

A petition signed by 37 persons was presented praying that an ordinance be drawn prohibiting the erection of a saloon or livery stable within 100 feet of any church. The matter was referred to the committee on ordinances.

Two petitions, signed by 365 citizens, 150 of them railroad men, asking that John Glover be reappointed to the police force, were

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A special to the St. Louis Post-Dispatch from Cincinnati announces that Pitcher Elton Chamberlain, of the Cincinnati club, has just been released to the Cleveland club for a consideration of \$1,000.

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presented.

Alderman Berry made a motion that the petitions be received and be left over to the next meeting.

Mayor Hastain ruled that the motion was out of order, as there was no place vacant on the police force to be filled by Mr. Glover.

Mr. Berry said that he believed 365 reputable citizens of this city should have some consideration from the council, and hence he took an appeal.

Mr. Berry put the motion under appeal and the roll was called, with the following answers: Anderson, yes; Deckman, yes; Mertz, no; Berry, no; Martin, yes; Dugan, no; Hoffman, yes.

Mr. Anderson made a motion, which was carried, to the effect that a sewer be put in the vicinity of the new depot to relieve the depot and property owners in that vicinity.

Council adjourned.

ELOPERS EXPLAIN.

Billy Smith and His Bride Talk of Family Opposition.

Senate Clerk "Billy" Smith and bride passed the night at the Planters' and left early Monday morning for Jefferson City, says the St. Louis Chronicle. As he rushed for a carriage with his bride he said to the Chronicle man:

"Don't, for pity's sake, do what two city papers last week did. One said I was a prominent republican politician, the other said I was a clerk in the republican house."

Mrs. Smith told the reporter in a confidential aside: "Don't you believe for a moment that my parents are grieving to death over my elopement with Will. They're not. Mother is ready and willing to forgive me. In fact, she has said, 'Why didn't you tell me, and have this marriage at home?' Father still appears vindictive, however. My brother never did appear to like Will, and he is really more cut up than any other member of the family."

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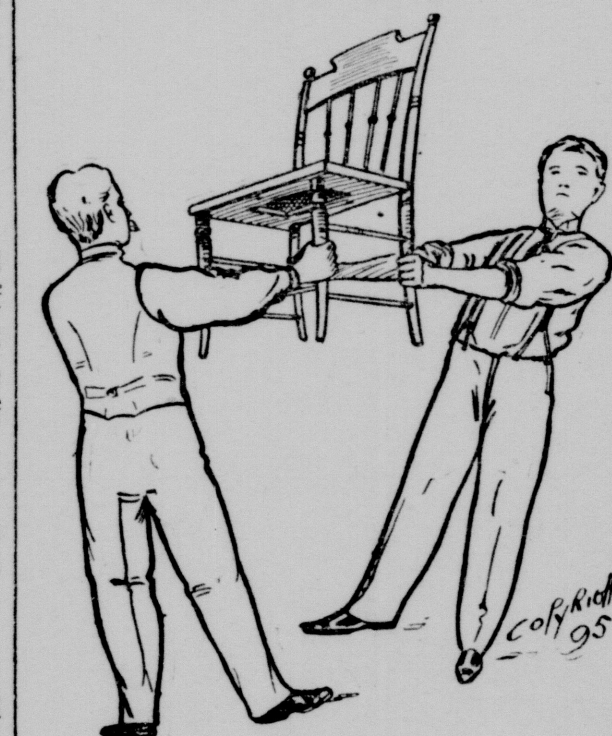
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